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THE DARDANELLES.

Lord Salisbury will Make a Vigorous Protest.

RUSSIAN WAR VESSELS CAN NOT PASS.

Sedan Days in Germany—The War Feeling Very Strong — Loyal Poles Against Disloyal Bohemians—The Mannlicher Rifle.

Sedan Day in Germany.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—In many parts of Germany, yesterday, the people celebrated the anniversary of the week which twenty-one years ago, witnessed the overthrow of the French and the surrender of Napoleon at Sedan. The day is known as Sedan day. The troops were absent at the maneuvers, but multitudes of civilians visited the cemeteries, and placed flowers on the graves of the soldiers. It was noticed that the interest in the occasion was even greater than last year, and the common talk of the people was that the scenes of 1870-71 might be again repeated. The war feeling in Germany is very strong, and there is a general sentiment that the present tension can not long continue, and that France will either have to fight or assume a more conciliatory attitude.

LOYAL POLES AGAINST DISLOYAL BOHEMIANS.

A Vienna dispatch says that the Austrian emperor is to some extent compensated for the disloyal attitude of the Bohemians by the growing devotion of the Galician Poles. The latter are even eager to see war break out in order that they may have a chance to avenge their national wrongs on Russia, which country they hold chiefly responsible for the destruction of Poland At Cracow the people marched in the streets singing the Polish national hymn and rhymes violently abusive of Russia, and some even personally directed at the czar. The police make a pretence of interfering at times, but it is said that the Austrian authorities are secretly pleased with the manifestations as a counterpart to the anti-Austrian agitation in Bohemia, which is attributed chiefly to Russian influences.

All indications are that, in the event of a Russian invasion of Galicia, the Poles will rise as one man to battle against theirahereditary enemies. The reason for Polish devotion to Austria is that nowhere has Austrian rule been more beneficient than in Austrian Poland, where it contrasts sharply with the oppression exercised by the Russians on the other side of the border.

THE DARDANELLES QUESTION.

It is reported that the British foreign office will take vigorous measures in a few days to bring the Dardanelles question to a settlement. Lord Salisbury has been mild in his policy toward Turkey, *so much so* that there has been much complaint among British subjects at Constantinople that less respect is shown for them than for the Germans. Now, however, it is rumored on sound authority that the attitude will be changed, and that a bold demand will be made upon the sultan to take a stand against the claims of Russia.

There appears to be no substantial ground for the report that Germany and Austria have given Lord Salisbury any advice on the subject He has not yet asked their advice, until he has exhausted the resources of British diplomacy at Constantinople; then if he finds the porte obstinately bent upon yielding to Russia, he will probably consult the other powers. Lord Salisbury, it is reported in well-informed circles, will under no circumstances consent to the passage of the Dardanelles by Russian war vessels under any guise.

THE MANNLICHER RIFLE

The British war office has decided, in view of the recent Chilian battles, to give a more thorough test to the Mannlicher rifle, with a view to its future adoption by the British infantry, if found satisfactory. Accounts indicate that the Mannlicher is superior to the Lebel, and it is stated that the war office is very much in favor of it.

SALVATION ARMY RIOTS.

Eastbourne had its usual Sunday salvation army riot yesterday, or was threatened with it. As soon as the salvation army started from the barracks to go on their march, crowds gathered as usual, and began to hoot and revile the salvationists. The police persuaded the latter to return to their barracks, and after a few rows the mob dispersed.

A SWEEPING INVITATION.

Every Civil and Military Organization in the United States Invited to Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Every civil and military organization in the United States is to be invited to participate in the exercises attending the unveiling of the Grant statue in Lincoln park. The event is to take place October 8, and, according to the executive committee of the monument association, which met yesterday in the operahouse building with the trustees, the occasion is to take the character of a national demonstration. As it will be impossible to issue separate invitations to all the civil and military organizations, a general invitation will be issued through the press.

At yesterday's meeting Geo. H. Heaford announced that half rates had been secured on the western, northwestern and southwestern and some of the Ohio river lines.

Revolving Turrets for Fort York.

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 6.—The military authorities have decided to place two revolving turrets at Fort York redoubt. One will be placed at the southern extremity of the fort and the other at the northern end. Each turret will be made of stone and will hold four sixty-ton guns.

The National Game.

The following league and association games were played Saturday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Cincinnati—

Philadelphias	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—5
Cincinnatis	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—3

At Chicago—

Bostons	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	*	—3
Chicagos	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2

At Pittsburgh—

Brooklyns	2	1	0	0	0	0	—3
Pittsburghs	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

Game called at the end of the sixth inning on account of rain.

Second Game—

Pittsburghs	0	2	7	2	0	—11
Brooklyns	1	5	1	0	0	—8

Game called at the end of the fifth inning on account of darkness.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Philadelphia—

Athletics	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	—4
Milwaukees	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Second Game—

Athletics	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	—5
Milwaukees	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1

At Washington—

Washingtons	4	1	2	0	6	2	0	0	0	—15
Columbus	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	1	0	—8

Second Game—

Columbus	1	3	0	0	0	2	0	0—6
Washingtons	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1—5

At Baltimore—

Baltimores	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4—6
Louisvilles	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0—3

At Boston—

Boston-St. Louis—Rain.

How They Stand.

The following table shows the relative positions of the clubs of the National league and American association at close of play on Saturday, September 5:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	P.	W.	L.	P. C.
Chicago	112	70	42	.625
Boston	110	63	47	.573
New York	102	57	45	.559
Philadelphia	108	58	50	.537
Cleveland	112	51	61	.465
Brooklyn	108	47	61	.435
Pittsburgh	111	47	64	.423
Cincinnati	111	44	67	.396

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	P.	W.	L.	P. C.
Boston	112	79	33	.705
St. Louis	114	71	43	.623
Athletic	116	65	51	.560
Baltimore	111	62	49	.559
Columbus	119	53	66	.445
Milwaukee	113	47	66	.416
Washington	106	38	68	.361
Louisville	112	38	74	.339

Meeting of the National Commission of the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—At yesterday morning's session of the national commission of the World's fair, considerable discussion followed over the report of the subcommittee, on awards, which provided for a secretary at a salary of $5,000 per year. Many of the commissioners thought this sum was too much. The matter was finally referred to the judiciary committee with instructions to report next Monday.

A motion to hold a night session was voted down and the commission adjourned until Monday morning.

During the afternoon local officials conducted the commissioners to the fair grounds at Jackson park. All the commissioners expressed themselves as more than satisfied at the progress of work on the buildings.

A Daring Highway Robbery.

HAVERHILL, Mass., Sept. 6.—A most daring robbery was perpetrated yesterday afternoon at the Elm house in this city. Two masked men forced their way into the house, seized the landlady, Mrs. Elkins, and demanded her money. She handed the men $35. Presenting a revolver at her head, the men demanded all the money she had, saying that she had some concealed on her person. The terrified woman denied that she had any more money, whereupon one of the men tore open her dress and grabbed a canvass bag containing $800 in cash and $400 in checks They then bound and gagged her and fled There is no clue to the thieves Mrs. Elkins was subsequently discovered by a neighbor and released.

The Russian Newspapers on the Dardanelles Question.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 7.—The Russian newspapers express confidence that, in view of the entente between France and Russia, the powers will hesitate to protest against Turkey's concession to Russia in the matter of the Dardanelles, for fear of Russian questions relative to Egypt, Bosnia and Cypress, while Turkey, strengthened by knowledge of the Franco-Russian entente as a counterpoise to the dreibund, will not easily be intimidated. Thus peace is insured.

Troops numbering 150,000 have been ordered to Warsaw, thus bringing the Russian forces on the Polish frontier up to 500,000.

Will Petition for the Release of Mrs. Maybrick.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 7.—The ladies of this city are moving to secure the release of Mrs. Florence Maybrick from Woking prison, England, where she is confined for life, convicted of having poisoned her husband. Gail Hamilton's recent articles, showing that there should have been a different course taken than the one adopted toward the unfortunate woman, have brought the case once more to public notice. The ladies of this city and state will present a petition, numerously signed, to the queen, whom they will ask to right the injustice done to Mrs. Maybrick.

W. Treffen Disappears.

BROKEN BOW, Neb, Sept. 7 —W. Treffen, a prominent business man and mayor of this city, has disappeared. He is involved to the amount of $20,000, brought about through speculation. The cause of his leaving at this time was the fact that the president of the Dakota Loan and Trust Co., was to be here to make a settlement with him. His deficiency with the loan company, is about $4,500, which will be made good by his bondsmen.

Arrival of Gen. Grubb.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—Gen. E. Burd Grubb, United States minister to Spain, arrived, yesterday, from Havre on the steamer La Touraine. He was met by a large delegation of Grand Army of the Republic members from New Jersey.

In Favor of Sunday Closing.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—After a long and earnest discussion, yesterday afternoon, the board of lady managers of the World's fair, by a vote of 56 to 86, passed a resolution in favor of the closing of the World's fair on Sundays.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

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FROM THE ANTIPODES

Arrival of the Steamship Mariposa From Australia.

DEATH OF PRINCE CONSORT DOMINIS.

Earthquake at the Sandwich Islands—New Cruisers for the Auxiliary Australian Syndicate—A Fight Between Featherweights.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 6.—The steamship Mariposa arrived from Australia via Honolulu yesterday. She brings Sydney advices, to August 29.

Hon. John Dominis, prince consort of Hawaii, died August 27, from a sudden attack of pneumonia. He had been ill some time with gout, which, turned into inflammatory rheumatism and pneumonia subsequently set in. Liliuokaliani was much affected by the death of her husband. The remains were lying in state at the palace when the steamer sailed, guarded by forty men under Capt. Howlein.

[Prince Dominis was born in Schenectedy, N. Y., in 1832. His father was an Italian and his mother an American lady of Boston. He was taken to Hawaii when but a child and was married to the present queen of Hawaii some years ago.]

The United States steamer Charleston arrived at Honolulu August 24.

A shock of earthquake occurred at the islands on August 25. As far as known no great damage was done.

The Mariposa experienced severe weather between Sydney and Auckland. Heavy seas rolled over the vessel, flooding the cabins and doing considerable damage. Several persons were slightly injured during the hurricane. Among the steamer's passengers was Mme. Bernhardt, who was tendered a reception on arrival here.

The petition to wind up the affairs of the Imperial Banking Co., of Melbourne, was made returnable on August 24. The bank's liabilities are £176,000 and assets £230,000. It will take a year or more to settle the company's affairs.

There is no prospect of getting the stranded vessel Sheephane off the reef near Merriam, Kirby islands, before spring tides.

The five new cruisers of the auxiliary Australian squadron arrived at Brisbane on August 7, and were warmly received. Assurances have been given by the postmaster general of New Zealand that the contract between the government and the steamship companies for carrying the mails between Auckland and San Francisco will be renewed.

The fight between featherweights Griffo and Billy Murphy, on July 22, for the championship of the world and a purse of £150 was an even and exciting battle. Griffo won on a foul in the 22d round. John L. Sullivan witnessed the mill. He was warmly cheered when he made his appearance in the club room.

AN UNSAVORY REPUTATION

Not all That is Necessary to Win Histrionic Success.

SPOKANE, Pa., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Robt. Ray Hamilton's career has been suddenly brought to a close. Her company yesterday objected to continuing labor unless salaries were paid, and as the money was not forthcoming they disbanded and returned to New York. It is said Mrs. Hamilton was compeled to borrow the money with which to purchase the railroad tickets for the members of the company to return.

Secretary Proctor's Successor.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Private advices received here state that Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, has been offered the war office, to succeed Secretary Procter. General Hawley is at Cape May conferring with President Harrison about the matter. Friends of the senator who are familiar with Connecticut politics, and who regard his chances for renomination, as against Gov. Bulkeley, and re-election to the United States senate for the term beginning in 1893, think it very probable that he will accept the offer and be the next secretary of war.

Maj. Tillman Heading for Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 7.—Telegrams received here from Windsor, Can., state that Maj. Tillman, the fugitive cashier of the Falls City bank, has left there and, it is believed, crossed over to Detroit and will either return to Louisville or go to some place near the city where he can easily communicate with his friends and arrange terms by which he can return to his old home. It is now certain that Tillman will not be prosecuted. Mr. John T. Moore, president of the Falls City bank, states that the bank had no evidence upon which to maintain a criminal prosecution.

Bulling's Pistol—Rev. August Lavake Released on Bonds.

SAVANNAH, Mo., Sept. 6.—Rev August Lavake, who acted as spiritual adviser at the Bulling hanging Friday, has been released in bonds of $500 to answer the charge of furnishing Bulling the weapon with which he attempted suicide just before his execution. It is generally believed now that the priest was innocent. Bulling left a letter in which he directs the sheriff to return the revolver to Abe Bulling, who, he says, knows to whom it belongs and how it came into his possession.

A Most Destructive Electrical Storm.

ALLIANCE, O., Sept. 7.—The most destructive electrical and rainstorm ever witnessed here passed over this section of the state Saturday evening. No less than twelve houses and barns were struck, resulting in total destruction aggregating a loss of $50,000 to $75,000. The electrical display was bewildering in its intensity. It is also reported that a number of lives were lost, but owing to imperfect telegraph facilities nothing definite can be gotten.

THOSE who are interested in the merits of the various cough medicines should read the statement of Mr. S. B. Walker, a prominent citizen and druggist at Calamus, Iowa. It is as follows: "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for eight years, and it has given universal satisfaction to my customers. I use no other in my family, and have never called a doctor for any throat or lung trouble. We feel that we could not keep house without it." 50 cent bottles, for sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist. d&w

VERMONT is boasting about her moral status. Since 1880 the population of the state has decreased 2 per cent, but membership in the churches has in the mean- [illegible]

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The catch of Iceland herring this season will not aggregate more than two-thirds of the average.

—Scientists assert that the Eiffel tower causes electrical disturbances and that the climate about Paris has been much worse since the tower was built.

—Fire destroyed nine houses at Guben, Brandenburg, Saturday. Two persons were burned to death, and a large number of horses and cattle were cremated.

—The Eureka Silk Manufacturing Co. of Canton, Mass., has had warrants of insolvency issued against it. A meeting of creditors will be held at Dedham September 23.

—Michael McCarthy, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by Peter Burns in Brooklyn Saturday. Burns was handling a revolver, which he supposed was unloaded.

—Field Marshal Count von Blumenthal has resigned his office as inspector-general of the Fourth German military district. He will be succeeded by Prince Leopold of Bavaria.

—An American giving the name of Carleton Graves and representing himself as being a photographer of Columbia has been arrested by the German authorities at Mayence as a spy.

—A great concentration of Russian forces is in progress at Cracow, and the newspapers have been warned by the Russian police not to publish anything about military movements there.

—The German government has ordered further coal mining in the vicinity of Gleiwitz, Prussian-Silesia, stopped, owing to dangerous water springs that have made their appearance in the mines.

—George W. Peck, Jr., owner of Peck's Sun, and son of Gov. Peck, has been arrested on the charge of circulating through the mail copies of his paper containing Louisiana lottery advertisements.

—Two tenement fires occurred in New York Saturday morning. Thirty-six families were panic-stricken, but the fires were extinguished without much damage. Both were incendiary, kerosene oil being used.

—Mr. Arnold White was granted an audience with the czar at Copenhagen in regard to the Baron Hirsch scheme. Another interview is expected soon. It is understood that the conference was of a satisfactory character.

—O. A. Gardner, the Minneapolis (Minn.) ex-carrier, was found guilty of opening letters and sentenced to pay a fine of $500. He is the man who claimed immunity had been promised him by Inspector Gould, of Chicago, because he was a mason.

—The tug-boat Erie was run down and sunk off Bedloe's island, New York harbor, by the Cunard steamship Etruria while she was proceeding down the bay Saturday on her trip to Liverpool. The son of the captain of the tug-boat was drowned.

—On petition of the native tradesmen the sultan has stopped the immigration of Russian Jews into Jerusalem and refuses to permit their landing in Palestine without a special order. Fifty families of the recently arrived refugees have been sent back.

—The Freeman's Journal of Dublin says that the wheat crops in West Clare and other western districts of Ireland are, owing to the recent severe rains, "only fit for litter." The potato blight is general, one-third of the crop being already gone, while the barley and oats are rotting.

—A farmer named Westland, residing on a farm near the railroad track in the neighborhood of Eland Junction, Wis., was instantly killed, Saturday, while plowing. His team became frightened by a passing engine, and he was thrown to the ground, and the plow cut his body in two.

—The directors of the Falls City bank of Louisville, Ky., have decided not to prosecute Maj. William Tillman, the cashier who fled to Canada. This was done on recommendation of counsel, who advised that Tillman's offense was only a breach of trust, and there was no hope of a conviction.

—The steamer James Turpie, from New York, arrived at Falmouth, England, Saturday, and reports very heavy gales and seas. The mate and steward were at different times washed overboard and drowned. Several of the crew were injured by being thrown to the deck by the lurching of the vessel.

—In Washington it is reported upon what is considered good authority that Secretary of War Proctor has sent his resignation to President Harrison, to take effect September 30 The same authority says that Stephen B. Elkins, president of the New York & West Virginia Railroad Co., will assume the duties of the war office on October 1, by appointment of the president.

—Col. Haines, of the Washington national guards, says that papers are being prepared for a suit which the militia will bring against the state to compel the payment of the men for service in the late mining riots in King county. The total expenses incurred in the field by the militia amounted to about $15,000. The attorney general holds that the expenses should be paid by King county.

—A special dispatch from San Francisco says: A new and damaging insect has recently made its appearance at Watsonville, Cal., where it has attacked beets grown in that vicinity for the sugar factories. The new insect is of an unknown species, and is a sort of mystery to scientists. It is feared that its ravages will seriously affect the sugar beet industry, which is just beginning to assume large proportions.

—Plans for the odd fellows' temple to be erected in Chicago have been prepared. They provide for a building as high as the *Washington monument. The entire ground* space is built up a height of fourteen stories. Above this the building extends six stories in the form of a square cross, the four spaces at the angles of the main building being left vacant. Above this is a tower-shaped structure fourteen stories high, making thirty-six stories altogether, with aggregate height of 556 feet. The estimated cost is $3,500,000. The ground space covered is to be 177 by 238 feet.

A HORRIBLE FATE.

A Little Boy Literally Chewed to Pieces by Six Ferocious Dogs.

WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 7.—Edward Gillis, 9 years old, had a horrible and fatal experience in this city Saturday evening. Young Gillis was playing in the street and near at hand was a dog kennel in which were confined six huge English mastiffs. While playing Gillis began teasing the dogs, and they became fearfully enraged. One of the dogs broke down the door, and the six ferocious brutes made an attack on the boy. He was knocked down at the first onslaught, and all the dogs began biting and chewing him.

Policeman James Carney, assisted by Wm. Robinson, armed with revolvers and crow bars, finally reached the infuriated animals, but it was impossible to make them loosen their holds, and Carney shot five of the dogs dead while they were still chewing and biting their victim. The sixth brute escaped. Carney himself was severely bitten. Gillis' wounds are terrible; his eyes, ears and nose were literally bitten out, and his body has no fewer than sixty wounds. The dogs that were killed were valued at $100 each.

Gresham for Interstate Commerce Commissioner.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 7. — Hon. Walter Q. Gresham, was enthusiastically indorsed at a meeting of citizens Saturday for appointment to the position made vacant by the death of W. L. Bragg, of the interstate commerce commission.

WHEN you desire a pleasant physic, one that will cleanse your system and give you the clear-headedness and buoyancy of youth, try St. Patrick's Pills. They are the most pleasant cathartic and liver pills in use, and having once tried them, we are confident that you will never be satisfied with any other kind. 25 cents per box. For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist. d&w

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THE NEWS OF THE DAY

Proposed Strike of the Colored Cotton Pickers.

DEADLY EFFECTS OF IMPURE WATER.

A Great Temperance Meeting in Maine—Fatal Accident to a Marine Diver—The National Irrigation Congress—Car Shops Burned, Etc.

The Deadly Effects of Impure Water.

DUNDEE, Mich., Sept. 7.—Five people have died in this vicinity from the poisonous effects of impure water from a well on the Gilson farm, near Deerfield. Something over two weeks since a thrashing crew was at work on Gilson's place. The engine drew its supply of water from the well on the premises. The well is not an abundant one and as a result of the unusual demand upon it the water became very low. It was observed to be rather muddy and repulsive to the taste, but it was the only water in the place and everybody drank of it as usual. Those who have died are three children of Gilson and two farm hands. Twenty-five others are affected, about half of them seriously.

Proposed Strike of Colored Cotton Pickers.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 7.—It is said that the colored cotton pickers have organized and that they have agreed not to pick cotton after September 10 for less than one dollar per 100 pounds and board. This organization has been perfected through the colored alliance, and now numbers 500,000 members with thousands being added every day throughout the southern states. General Superintendent Humphrey, of the colored alliance, admitted the existence of the organization. A secret circular has been mailed to every suballiance throughout the cotton belt, setting the date when the strike of cotton pickers will be simultaneously inaugurated.

A Great Temperance Meeting.

LEWISTON, Me., Sept. 7.—A large temperance meeting was held at the Pine-street Congregational church yesterday at which measures were taken to organize a county temperance league for enforcement of the prohibitory law. Congressman Dingley presided and introduced Senator Frye, who spoke at length He vigorously denounced the rum seller and said that if every rum seller were in jail the city and the country would be ten thousand times better off than it is. The senator claimed that the law was the only remedy for the evil of intemperance, and closed with an exhortation to the people to stand by the prohibitory laws of the state.

"Big Ed" Hennessy Arrested.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—"Big Ed" Hennessy, leader of one of the most dangerous gangs of confidence operators in the country, was arrested Saturday afternoon by officers of the Central police station at the instance of John I. Norris, the irrepressible detective from Ohio. Norris wants Hennessy for complicity in several robberies in western Missouri in which farmers were the victims. One man, named C. W. Funk, of Knox county, Mo., was robbed of $2,000; another, Thomas Blackburn, of Albany county, of $6,500, and a third, Stephen Trice, of Lathrope, of $3,500.

Fearful Accident to a Marine Diver.

MUSKEGON, Mich., Sept. 7.—A horrible accident occurred to Abe Sanquist, a marine diver, who was at work on the government piers here Saturday. While in 25 feet of water the air tube broke, and he was without life-line or signal cord. He managed to crawl to the surface on a ladder and was taken from the water. His head and shoulders within the helmet and cape were congested and blood was gushing from his eyes, ears and nose. He became unconscious after reaching the surface, and now lies in a critical condition.

The National Irrigation Congress.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Sept. 7.—The national irrigation congress, which is to be held here September 15, 16 and 17, promises to be very successful. Thousands of delegates will be in attendance. The railroads have reduced rates for everybody one-half and the hotels will also make reduced charges.

Car Shops Burned.

PORT HURON, Mich., Sept. 7.—The large shops of the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway were partially burned yesterday afternoon Eleven cars were destroyed, besides a large quanity of lumber and the carpenter shops. Loss $100,000. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment.

Reported Capture of the Ceres Train Robbers.

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 6.—It is reported that the Ceres train robbers have been captured near Newton, this state, by a posse. The report cannot be confirmed.

Supposed to be the Ceres Train Robbers.

GOSHEN, Cal., Sept. 7.—Sheriff Kay passed through this place yesterday evening for Visalia with two men supposed to be the Ceres train robbers.

THE MOTHER INSTINCT

In a Simple-Minded Girl Leads to the Detection of a Great Crime.

ATCHISON, Kan., Sept. 6.—Justice Hess, of Everest, yesterday held Mrs. John Bradley without bail for the murder of the infant of her cousin, Mary Curley. The child was the illegitimate offspring of Mrs. Bradley's son Charles. The condition of Miss Curley and the general knowlege that young Bradley was the cause of her trouble, threatened to break his marriage engagement with Julia Garvey, whereupon Mrs. Bradley poisoned the child and drove the Curley girl, who is simple-minded, away. She, however, returned to visit the grave of her child, and the story came out.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Grain Company:

LIVE STOCK—Estimated receipts—
Hogs—6,000; 10 higher.
Cattle—3,500; steady.

GRAIN—Car lots—
Wheat 444; Corn 692; Oats 335.

	SEPT.	DEC.	MAY.
WHEAT	$ .97	$1.00⅝	$1.07⅝
CORN	.68	.50⅝	.47⅝
OATS	.—	.29⅝	.33⅝

	OCT.	JAN.
PORK	$11.17	$12.65
LARD	7.05	7.42½
[illegible]	7.30	[illegible]

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Special Assessment Notice

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The extension of the alley running north and south between North Broadway street and North Morgan street, from its present northern terminus north of East Marietta street, north to the south line of East Orchard street, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed, at the collector's office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 5th day of Sept., A. D. 1891.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The widening of East Eldorado street, between North Main street and North Water street, to the width of eighty feet, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special assessments is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially assessed at the collector's office, No. 247 North Main street, in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

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MONDAY EVE., SEPT. 7, 1891.

Folly's Fanfaronade.

The Chicago *Tribune* has succeeded again in permitting its sails to outrun its wind. It has succeeded in producing in the neighborhood of two columns of first class editorial rhetoric in support of a dream that the removal of German restrictions from American pork is due to reciprocity, when in fact, reciprocity was not a factor in even a remote sense in bringing about the removal of this German restriction. Germany prohibits the importation of American pork, assigning as a reason therefor, that it was diseased. Our last congress, with a view of giving assurance that our government would not hereafter permit the exportation of diseased pork, passed a bill providing for a government inspection of all meat entered for export. The bill became a law and since that time Minister Phelps, by direction of the state department, has been diligent in his efforts to induce the German government to accept the assurances of this government expressed in the inspection law and has at last succeeded in opening German ports to American pork inspected by the government. Elsewhere in the *Tribune* on the same day their misleading editorials were published, the following dispatch from Cape May appeared with the *Tribune's* own headlines:

NOTHING TO DO WITH RECIPROCITY.

The German Government Simply Accepts the Inspection Under American Laws.

CAPE MAY, N. J., Sept. 4.—The negotiations which ended in the withdrawal of the prohibition against the importation of American pork into Germany were concluded at Saratoga and not at Cape May Point. The conclusion was reached while the president was at Saratoga by John W. Foster, representing the United States, and Count von Munn, Charge d'Affaires, representing the German government, and was approved by the president. The removal of the pork restriction has nothing to do with any question of reciprocity, but is based upon the acceptance by the German government of the inspection of imported meats by this government under the law of the last Congress.

This settles any quibble which might otherwise arise, as to whether the *Tribune* could have been mistaken as to facts and shows that the editorials were not written in good faith but for the purpose of deceiving its readers. It is simply another of its efforts to make the people believe that no man save Mr. Blaine in the Republican party has risen above mediocrity, precisely the condition the Democrats would be more than pleased to have the people believe existed. The *Tribune* still insists in face of all facts and Mr. Blaine's own utterances, that Mr. Blaine's scheme of reciprocity took in all the sugar producing nations of the world instead of being limited to the nations of the Western Hemisphere.

The Public Schools.

This morning there was a whoop and hurrah in almost every Decatur home. The noise, the racket, and the nervous inquiry as to the location of certain necessary equipments reminds one of breaking a military camp for an active field campaign.

The sidewalks in Decatur resound to the clatter of hurrying feet as troop after troop passes by. It is the preparatory maneuver incident to the opening of our public schools. The young people have had a vacation and all are eager to again place themselves within the influence of our public schools. There they meet again old acquaintances and form new ones. There they will attempt and master new lessons. There they will lay the foundation for whatever intelligence shall characterize their after lives in whatever sphere they may move.

The free schools of the United States, which have an open door for every American girl or boy, whether rich or poor, promise more to the perpetuity of Republican government than anything else connected either directly or indirectly with the government. Here those who shall become voters and as such shall in the future dictate the policy of the government, are taught the rudimentary branches of an English education. Here their minds are taught to think, to reason, and to form conclusions, all of which are necessary to make them such citizens as may in future safely discharge the duty of citizenship in a free government.

In this sense every American citizen has a common interest in the education of every American child, no matter whether the child is of his family, the child of another, an orphan, or even a stranger. It is this principle which calls for the compulsory education of the children of those who fail to send their children to our public schools or educate them in some other way.

So important indeed has the public school become in this country that everybody is more than willing to endure the confusion and annoyance of Young America getting ready for school on the opening day, and if necessary do his groaning in the back yard while the young urchins are tearing up everything in doors to find the accoutrements they laid away and have not seen since last June.

A Word From Gov. Campbell.

Gov. Campbell of Ohio, in an interview in New York, is reported as saying that Major McKinley is disposed to dodge the tariff in the Ohio campaign. If Mr. Campbell has any inclination toward a desire to be regarded as a man of truth he will not make any more such breaks. Major McKinley did not dodge that question in his campaign for Congress in a gerrymandered district with 3,000 Democratic majority against him and in the face of the most gigantic misrepresentations of free traders and tin peddlers, he cut that Democratic majority down to 312. Oh no, Mr. Campbell, Major McKinley is not a coward; he was never known to dodge nor to complain of the tools he was given to use, as Mr. Campbell did when he said the free silver plank should not have been put in the Democratic platform upon which he accepted a nomination.

Mr. Campbell, by the cheap method of a newspaper interview, cannot put himself in the position of appearing to force the fighting on the tariff in order that he may escape the dilemma he is in [illegible] free silver. Major McKinley has already swiped the brow of Democracy on the tariff in several speeches, especially in the one he delivered a week ago at Niles, O., where 30,000 people assembled to hear him.

More than this, since Major McKinley made his tariff speech at Niles there has been a noticeable lull among Democratic tongues. None of them have shown a disposition to trifle with the Niles speech. Nothing, in fact, has been said by these free trade warriors and nothing has been heard from them except what Campbell is reported to have said after he had gotten out of the state and that Roger Q. Mills had consented to speak in the Ohio campaign on the tariff.

We almost forgot to add that Mr. Taubeneck, the third party leader, has said since the Niles meeting that 20,000 Democrats in Ohio would vote for McKinley.

SENATOR PEFFER started out by telling his audiences that there are 9,000,000 homes in the country and now, since statistics, systematically gathered, show there are 2,491,930 mortgages on all kinds of real estate, he has revised his statement to suit the facts. The strange thing connected with this is that people go to hear Peffer, nod assent, or endorsement, to what he says, and applaud his conclusions, notwithstanding the fact that he has been a false teacher in the matter of mortgages and is no better acquainted with other matters which he attempts to enlighten the people upon. One would suppose that almost any American voter has the good sense to refuse longer to listen to a teacher who admits that he knew so little about farm mortgages, his chief subject; but such is not the case. Men still sit and listen and applaud what Peffer says the same as if they were certain that Peffer knew what he was talking about.

WHEN Senator Cullom reached New York on his return from his European trip he was asked:

"Did you hear anything about the World's Fair and the McKinley tariff?

His answer was:

"I heard a great deal about both, and I do not mind saying that from what I saw and heard the foreign exhibit at Chicago will be greater than at any fair ever held here or elsewhere. The people everywhere were interested. I saw Messrs. Handy and Butterworth, World's Fair Commissioners, and they were in excellent spirits over their hearty receptions at the various capitals. Of course the manufacturers feel that the McKinley tariff is not what they desire and they would be glad to see the Democrats win in 1892. In fact, Europe is for the Democratic ticket."

GOV. BOISE, of Iowa, still insists that the farmers of Iowa, during the last five years, have lost on an average 67 cents an acre on the corn crop. This is a good deal like the fellows who buck the "wheel." Every one of them, according to his tale, beat it in the long run, and the wonder is how the proprietors can stand the universal losses and pay the enormous expenses they have to contract.

A SOUTHERN paper claims that Balmaceda's defeat was a Democratic victory. The best evidence we can see of the probable truth of this claim is the fact that there is great rejoicing in England over the insurgent victory. That is one of the places on earth outside of the United States where anybody rejoices over Democratic victories.

IT is true, as the Pennsylvania Democratic platform declares, that the election in that state this year "involves no issue of Federal politics;" but the majority which the Republicans are certain to obtain will serve, nevertheless, to promote the success of their candidate next year.

MAJOR MCKINLEY has averaged two speeches a day for the past three weeks, and his health remains as good as it was when he began. Like his celebrated tariff bill, he has his first-class staying qualities.

Abel's Carpet House, Decatur,

Leads the trade in Central Illinois in Wall-Paper, Linoleums, Oil Cloths, Chinese Silks, Mattings, Curtains, Room Mouldings, Curtain Poles, and all kinds and qualities of Carpets.
April 19-d&wtf

A WICHITA, Kan., woman straps her baby on her back when she goes on her bicycle.

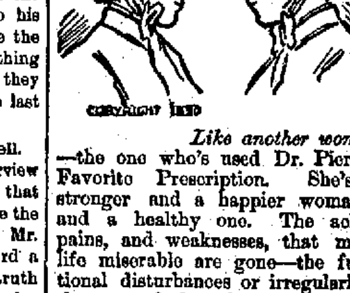
MOAWEQUA FAIR.—For the occasion the Illinois Central Railroad will sell excursion tickets from September 7th to 11th inclusive to Moawequa at one and one-third fare, good to return up to Sept. 12th.

FOR BARNUM'S CIRCUS at Bloomington Sept. 7th the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Bloomington at one and one-third fare, good to return up to Sept. 8th.

INDIANAPOLIS EXCURSION.—On account of the Indiana State Fair, the I., D. & W. R'y will sell excursion tickets, Decatur to Indianapolis, at rate of one fare for round trip, with 50 cents added for admission to the fair. Tickets will be sold Sept. 20th to 26th and good to return till the 28th. For further information call at City Ticket office or Union Depot. C. G. Dorwin, G. A., I., D. & W. R'y.

WABASH EXCURSIONS.

SEPT. 15 AND 29—On above dates the Wabash will sell round trip tickets, Decatur to Kansas City, $9.40; Decatur to Chicago, $4.75; Decatur to St. Louis, $4.50. Tickets good for going passage on date of sale only, and good for return passage 30 days from date of sale. F. W. Greene, P. & T. A.



Like another woman—the one who's used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. She's a stronger and a happier woman—and a healthy one. The aches, pains, and weaknesses, that made life miserable are gone—the functional disturbances or irregularities that caused them have been cured. Face and figure show the change, too. Health has restored the charms that rightfully belong to her. For all the weaknesses and ailments peculiar to womanhood, "Favorite Prescription" is a positive remedy. No other medicine for women is *guaranteed*, as this is, to give satisfaction in every case, or the money is refunded. It's proprietors are willing to take the risk. What it has done, warrants them in guaranteeing what it will do.

It's the *cheapest* medicine you can buy, because it's *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, or your money is returned.

You only pay for *the good* you get.

Can you ask more?

That's the peculiar plan all Dr. Pierce's medicines are sold on.

A Woman's Don'ts for Men.

Don't wear a felt hat in a humid summer's day.

Don't save all your polite attentions for other men's wives.

Don't be jealous without sufficient cause; it belittles you.

Don't begin every remark with "By Jove." It is as bad as "Lovely."

Don't neglect to judge your own shortcomings as severely as those of others.

Don't be such a crank that every one in the house is glad when you are out of it.

Don't make life a burden to the family if your shirt does not fit or your trousers are too short.

Don't put a cane or an umbrella under your arm while going up stairs. People don' like to dodge the point.

Don't allow a woman to stand, and finally offer her a seat as if you hated to; give it up with a good grace or else keep it.

Don't scold because the children disturb your enjoyment of the evening paper; they have been bothering somebody all day.

Don't cross your legs so that a woman in passing you must brush the dirt from your shoes with her dainty dress.

Deafness Can't Be Cured

by local applications, as they can not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result; and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that we cannot cure by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
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THE census men found in the United States 14,056,750 horses, 2,296,532 mules, 16,010,591 cows, 36,875,648 oxen and cattle, 43,431,136 sheep, and 50,625,106 swine.

A Mother's Mistake.

Mothers frequently make a mistake in neglecting the Cough of a child. A Fort Wayne, Ind., lady writes: My little daughter, 6 years old, had a severe Cough, but as it was nothing unusual I thought nothing of it, and allowed it to run on for 4 or 5 weeks, when it became so obstinate she began losing flesh. I called in a physician, who treated her three weeks without benefit. A neighbor insisted upon my trying Ballard's Horehound Syrup; it relieved her from the first dose, and she began gaining flesh rapidly; when we had used two bottles her Cough had entirely disappeared. I would not be without it. It does not constipate my children. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is free from Opiates. It's the most soothing Throat and Lung medicine in the world. Price, 50c and $1.00. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 2

ITINERANT musicians are not allowed to sojourn in St. Petersburg, and those who are of foreign nationality are not permitted to pass the frontier of the empire.

A Mystery Explained.

The papers contain frequent notices of rich, pretty, and educated girls eloping with negroes, tramps and coachmen. The well-known specialist, Dr. Franklin Miles says all such girls are more or less hysterical, nervous, very impulsive, unbalanced; usually subject to headache, neuralgia, sleeplessness, immoderate crying or laughing. These show a weak nervous system for which there is no remedy equal to Restorative Nervine. Trial bottles and a fine book containing many marvelous cures free at W. O. Armstrong, who also sell and guarantee Dr. Miles' celebrated New Heart Cure, the finest of heart tonics. Cures fluttering, short breath, etc. d&w

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WORLD'S FAIR, 1893—S. R. Gher has been appointed agent of the World's Fair Trust Fund Transportation Company. You can arrange *now* with him to attend the fair for six days. A small cash payment is required. All who sign for the trip during September, 1891, can pay the balance in monthly installments of $2 each. You get your railroad fare paid to and from Chicago, including bus to and from hotel. You will be met at depot and conducted to your hotel. You get room and board for six days and six admissions to the fair. You can in this way attend the fair without worry as to a place to eat and sleep, and by paying for it in such a way that you do not miss it. Call on me at my office, 123 North Water street, for full particulars. S. R. GHER. 5d1w

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WANTED—Everybody to know that they can save money by buying their paints, oils, varnishes, and brushes at Blank & Grass' paint and wall paper store. The following quotations will speak for themselves: Strictly pure white lead, Corroder's brands, $6.00. Boiled linseed oil, 65c; everything else as proportionately low prices. Sole agents for the Harrison Bros colors in oil, the best in the world. m18-dtf

MONEY TO LOAN—In large or small amounts Loans made on live stock, farm machinery, or household goods. Call and see me before placing your loans. Office 22 North Water St., above Peddecord, Burrows & Co.'s bank.
jan19-dtf J. W. REDMAN

LADIES HAIR WORK—In every style worn, and ventilated curls, frizzes, bangs and wigs made to order. Hair cutting for ladies and children a specialty. MRS. BOWMAN, Merchant street, over Stine's clothing store. f23-dtf

FOR REPAIRS OF ALL KINDS—Bicycles, Sewing Machines, Oil Stoves, Guns, Tool Sharpening, &c. Also Models and Patterns made to order, Bicycle Headquarters, Library Block, 114 West William St. Telephone 446. mar28-dtf PAUL HEICKISCH, Foreman.

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder, late superintendent of Joseph Mills' planing mill, has opened an office in Central Block, over the B. Stine clothing store. Will furnish plans and specifications for buildings of any size or description, large and small dwellings, with especial attention to details and wishes of patrons. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. jan12-dtf

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NURSERY STOCK—It will soon be time to set shade trees and all kinds of nursery stock. Remember the Decatur Nursery Co., located west of the city. They sell the best trees in the country. Plant the celebrated California Poplar shade tree. HENRY TINCHER, General Manager. f27-dtf

LADIES try Le Duc's Periodical Pills from Paris, France. Acts only on the menstrual system and positively cures suppression of the menses from colds, shock, &c. A reliable monthly medicine, warranted to relieve. Price $2; three for $5. THE AMERICAN PILL AND MEDICINE CO., proprietors, Spencer, Iowa. Sold and sent by mail on receipt of price by WOOD & WISWELL, sole agents, Decatur, Ill. apr18-d1yr

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jan1-d3mo Decatur, Ill.

Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given, that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special tax upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement: The paving and improving of the alley running north and south between North Main street and North Water street, from the south line of East Prairie street, south, to the north line of East Main street, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially taxed at the collector's office, No. 247 North Main St., in said city, being the city clerk's office, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 5th day of Sept., A. D. 1891.
L. F. SKELLY,
Sept. 7-5t City Clerk.

D. L. BUNN. EDWIN P[illegible]

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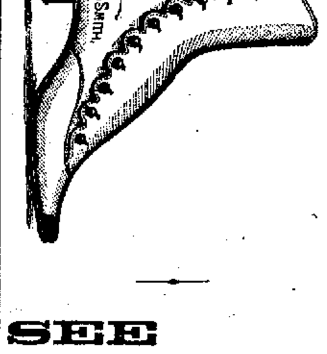

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D. C. CORLEY, Attorney.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE—State of Illinois, Macon County, ss. In the Circuit Court; to September Term, 1891. C. B. Barker & Co., limited, a corporation under the laws of the State of New York, vs. L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, partners doing business under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey.—An affidavit having been filed in the above entitled cause in my office, showing that the above named L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, upon due inquiry, cannot be found; Therefore, Public notice is hereby given to the said L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey that a writ of attachment has issued out of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, at the suit of C. B. Barker & Co., limited, a corporation under the laws of the State of New York, against the estate of L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, partners doing business under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey, for the sum of eighty-seven and fifty-five one hundredths dollars principal, and interest thereon from June 11, 1891, returnable at the September term of said Circuit Court to be held on the fourth Monday of September, 1891, at the Court House in Decatur, in Macon County, Illinois, and unless said defendants shall appear, give bail and plead, within the time limited for their appearance, in said cause, judgment will be entered against them and the goods attached will be sold.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
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D. C. CORLEY, Attorney.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE—State of Illinois, Macon County, ss. In the Circuit Court; to the September Term, 1891. B. V. Arnstine, H. W. Arnstine and J. Mier, partners under the firm name of Arnstine Bros. & Mier, vs. L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, partners doing business under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey. An affidavit having been filed according to law in my office, showing that said defendants, L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, upon due inquiry cannot be found; Therefore, Public notice is hereby given to the said L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey that a writ of attachment has issued out of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, at the suit of the above named Arnstine Bros. & Mier, for the sum of sixty-four dollars and seventy-five cents principal, and interest thereon, against the estate of said Butler & Dempsey, returnable at the September term of said Circuit Court, to be held at the court house in Decatur, Macon County, Illinois, on the fourth Monday in September, 1891; and unless said defendants shall appear, give bail, and plead, within the time limited for their appearance in said cause judgment will be entered against them and the goods attached will be sold.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
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D. C. CORLEY, Attorney.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.—State of Illinois Macon County, S. S. In the Circuit Court to the September term, 1891. H. Sellers McKee and Thomas McKee, doing business under the firm name of McKee Brothers, vs. L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, partners, doing business under the firm name of Butler & Dempsey. An affidavit having been filed in my office, according to law, showing that said defendants, L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey, upon due inquiry cannot be found, therefore public notice is hereby given to the said L. F. Butler and F. W. Dempsey that a writ of attachment has issued out of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, at the suit of said McKee Brothers for the sum of eighty-nine and seventy-two one-hundredths dollars principal with the interest thereon against the estate of said Butler & Dempsey, returnable at the September Term of said Circuit Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the fourth Monday of September, 1891, and unless said defendants shall appear, give bail and plead, within the time limited for their appearance in said cause, judgment will be entered against them and the goods attached will be sold.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss.

In the County Court, of the August Term, A. D. 1891.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel T. Tiery, deceased, vs. Nancy A. Beckman, et al.

Petition to sell real estate to pay debts.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of the order and decree of said court in said cause rendered at said term, I, Albion Daggett, as the executor of the estate of the said Samuel T. Tiery, deceased, will, on

SATURDAY, the 3rd day of October, 1891,

at the hour of three o'clock on the afternoon of said day, at the premises in the city of Macon, Macon County, Illinois, at public vendue, sell to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The south half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three in township fifteen, north, and range two (2), east of the Third Principal Meridian.

Upon the following terms, to-wit: Cash in hand on day of sale.
ALBION DAGGETT,
Mills Bros. & Mills, Executor, Etc.
Sol's for petitioners. s8d&w4w

ST. Nicholas Hotel

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on south side of the east branch of Union Street Sewer, on King street, at the alley running north and south between North Union and North Church streets, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point south on said alley, to the right of way of the Wabash Railway Company, together with all Y junctions, entrances, man holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council of the said city of Decatur, on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said city, from the date hereof until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of September, A. D. 1891, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the City Council, and said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated August 28th, A. D. 1891.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
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Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening, on the west side of Broadway Street Sewer, at the alley running east and west between East William street and East Prairie street, which said sewer is to be constructed from said beginning point westward on said alley to the east line of Jackson street, together with all Y junctions, entrances, man holes, catch basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council of said city of Decatur, on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 7th day of September, A. D. 1891, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the City Council and said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated August 28th, A. D. 1891.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON. } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1891.

Tillman Inlow, complainant, vs. Mary Inlow, defendant—Bill in Chancery for Divorce.

Notice is hereby given to the above-named defendant, Mary Inlow, that the above-named complainant, Tillman Inlow, has heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said Court, on the chancery side thereof, against you, the said defendant in the above entitled cause, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said Court against you, the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the September term, A. D. 1891, of said Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, beginning on the fourth Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1891, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending and undetermined in said Court.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
HARRIS & TAYLOR, Sol's for Complainant
aug18-d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY. } ss.

In the Circuit Court to the September Term, A. D. 1891.

Diana Winter vs. Nathan Winter.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the above-named defendant having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of said county, notice is hereby given the said defendant that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said Court, on the chancery side thereof, and thereupon a summons issued out of said Court against the said defendant returnable on the fourth Monday in September, A. D. 1891, at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, and said suit is still pending.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
JOHNS & RANDOLPH, Sol's for Complainant.
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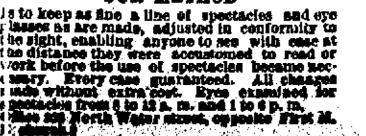

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY.
In the Cir[illegible]
Fredericka Menlecke et[illegible] vs. Martha Kuklinski.

Public notice is here[illegible] ance of a decree of the county, in the state of June term of said court, entitled cause 1, Jam[illegible] chancery of said court. *Friday, the 11th d[illegible]* D. at the hour of 3 o'cloc[illegible] trance to the stairwa[illegible] court room in the city for sale at public au[illegible] best bidder the follow[illegible] to-wit: Lot in block [illegible] Addition to the city of Macon and state of Ill[illegible] *Terms of Sale:*—One day of sale, balance in A note bearing 6 per proved personal secur[illegible] premises sold must be the deferred payment cash if be desires.

Dated at Decatur, August, A. D. 1891.

MILLS BROS. & MI[illegible]
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY.
In the Circuit Court,

Alexander T. Mettlan, F. Tuttle et al—Cha[illegible]
To J. F. Tuttle, W. R. Morehead, Frank C. heirs of J. Tuttle, de[illegible]

You are hereby no[illegible] now pending and und[illegible] Court of Macon county chancery side thereof Mettlan, executor of deceased, J. Lewis Levi Hanks, Emma and William Mettlan, Mettlan, John Mettla[illegible] Alexander T. Mettla[illegible] complainants, and J. John Hanks, James Chandler, Jackson H[illegible] Nellie Tyler, Martha Mattie Calhoun, Jane Frank Calhoun and Tuttle, deceased, are mons in said cause is Circuit Court of Maco[illegible] on the first day of the to be holden in the co[illegible] nois, on the 28th day when and where you [illegible] swer or demur to said
Dated August 10th, [illegible]

BUNN & PARK, Att[illegible]

Seale[illegible]

Public notice is he[illegible] tract for the paving Prairie street, in the County, in the State line of North Church of Pine street, accor[illegible] fications of an or[illegible] passed by the City Decatur, on the 13th will be let to the lo[illegible] and that sealed bid[illegible] office of the City Cle[illegible] date hereof until five the seventh day of Se[illegible] the paving and impr[illegible] ing labor, materials necessary to make th[illegible]

The contractor will in paving said street the City Clerk's office.

A bond or certified [illegible] hundred dollars must

All bids will be sub[illegible] and said City Council ject any and all bids.

Dated August 26th,

WM. T. [illegible]

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court.

Fredericka Meniecke et al. } No. 13833.
vs. } Bill for Partition.
Martha Kukliuski. }

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered at the June term of said court, A. D. 1891, in the above entitled cause I, James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will, on

Friday, the 11th day of September, A. D. 1891,

at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m., at the west entrance to the stairway leading to the circuit court room in the city of Decatur, Illinois, offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot ... in block ... in Peddecord & Burrows' Addition to the city of Decatur in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Terms of Sale: One-half cash in hand on day of sale, balance in one year from said day. A note bearing 6 per cent. interest, with approved personal security and mortgage on the premises sold must be given for the amount of the deferred payment, or buyer may pay all cash if he desires.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 13th day of August, A. D. 1891.

JAMES J. FINN,
Master in Chancery.

MILLS BROS. & MILLS, Complainants' Sols.
aug13-d1d

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, September Term, A. D. 1891.

Alexander T. Mettlan, Executor, etc., et al vs. J. F. Tuttle et al—Chancery.

To J. F. Tuttle, W. R. Tuttle, Jane Wood, Nancy Morehead, Frank Calhoun and the unknown heirs of J. Tuttle, deceased.

You are hereby notified that a certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Alexander T. Mettlan, executor of the will of John Hanks, deceased, J. Lewis Hanks, Grayson Hanks, Levi Hanks, Emma Hanks, Charles Hanks and William Mettlan, Wheeler Mettlan, Frank Mettlan, John Mettlan and Anna Mettlan, by Alexander T. Mettlan, their next friend, are complainants, and J. F. Tuttle, W. R. Tuttle, John Hanks, James Hanks, Eva Hanks, Ida Chandler, Jackson Hanks, William B. Hanks, Nellie Tyler, Martha E. Bridges, Betsy Hugle, Mattie Calhoun, Jane Wood, Nancy Morehead, Frank Calhoun and the unknown heirs of J. Tuttle, deceased, are defendants. That summons in said cause is issued, returnable to the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the first day of the September term thereof, to be holden in the court house in Decatur, Illinois, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1891, when and where you can appear, and plead, answer or demur to said bill.

Dated August 10th, 1891.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

BUNN & PARK, Attorneys. aug10-d4w

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the paving and improving of West Prairie street, in the City of Decatur, in Macon County, in the State of Illinois, from the west line of North Church street west to the west line of Pine street, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council of said City of Decatur, on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1891, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said City from the date hereof until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the seventh day of September, A. D. 1891, for the paving and improving of said street, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

The contractor will be required to use brick in paving said street equal to samples on file at the City Clerk's office.

A bond or certified check in the amount of five hundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the City Council and said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. L. F. SKELLEY,
City Clerk.

Dated August 26th, A. D. 1891. 20d10t

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MONDAY EVE., SEPT. 7, 1891.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

French Tissue Papers at Irwin's Pharmacy.

The Labor Day play to-night at the Grand will be "The Pay Train," with a full measure of exciting incidents.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf

Deetz & Son, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant street. jan14-dtf

The leader musically is O. B. Prescott. He handles none but first-class pianos and organs and gives low figures and easy terms.

Fruits for canning in quantities to suit at May & Churchman's grocery store.

The place to get a good dinner or a lunch at any hour is at W. A. Combs' restaurant.

Blank & Grass is the place to buy your Paints, Wall Paper and Window Shades. apr25-dtf

You can get the Michl cigars anywhere in the city. Ask for the Little Rose and Bouquets.

Beautiful Mantels, at very reasonable prices, at Lytle & Eckels Hardware Company. tf

The Mowequa fair *is in progress.* The grounds are devoid of shade, but the equipment is excellent.

Select the White Loaf and Daily Bread flour, to be had anywhere in the city.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

"Katie Putnam" in "Love Finds a Way" will appear at the Grand on Wednesday evening.

Deetz & Son, Contracting Brick Layers; office with Hunter Bros., real estate agents, 123 Merchant street. Estimates given on all kinds of brick work. j14-dtf

Splendid grapes for jell at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store, 143 South Water street.

Poultry, fresh eggs and fresh butter every day at Philip Kemper's grocery store, 801 North Water street.

Henry Flynn, the hustling grocer at 600 East Eldorado street, makes a specialty of poultry, fresh eggs and butter, lake fish and fruits for canning.

School begins at Maroa September 14 with the following teachers: B. F. Shipley, principal; W. W. Kyle, Misses Lura Smith, Clara Jones, Agnes Compton, Anna Moyer and Fracia Hill.

Delegates to the Grand Lodge meeting of Good Templars are in the city, and more will arrive on every train, to be present at the opening session to-morrow.

The only radical cure for rheumatism is to eliminate from the blood the acid that causes the disease. This is thoroughly effected by the persevering use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Persist until cured. The progress may be slow but the result is sure.

The funeral of Glenn G. Darling, aged 9 years, 4 months and 11 days, took place Sunday from the Presbyterian Chapel on North College street. The boy was afflicted with typhoid fever and died Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Darling, 1054 North College street. The interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Jno. A. Reeve & Co. are prepared to do the best work in embalming, using the arterial system, which will keep a body any number of months. Will direct funerals and supply the best grades of caskets and coffins at lowest rates. Store west side Old Square.
April 5-d1m

J. S. Campbell has removed his real estate office to the two east rooms in the Citizens' bank building, second floor, opposite postoffice, where he will continue to do a general real estate business, handling city and farm property. Residence city property and farms to rent, Mr. Campbell is one of the best judges of the value of property in Decatur and those desiring to make safe investments or wishing to purchase or rent property will do well to give him a call. e3dtf

The growth of perjury in law courts has become a scandal. The value of a witness' word, in comparison with his interest, seems to be paralleled by a well-known example of school boy honor: "Will you take your dying oath to it?" "Yes." Will you bet sixpence about it?" "No."

Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

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It has been estimated recently by a shoe man that the people of the United States spend $450,000,000 annually for shoes.

A Cure for Chronic Diarrœa.—Mrs. E. Gleason, of Salem, Dent Co., Mo., writes as follows: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me of chronic diarrhoea after years of standing, when it seemed I could live no longer, I was growing so weak. I had tried several doctors in this state and several in Iowa, but they could do nothing for me. I was finally induced to try a bottle of your medicine. After using three bottles of it I was entirely cured. I cannot say enough in its praise. I wish that every family knew the worth of it as I do, and I am sure they would never do without it." For sale by W. F. Neisler, druggist. d&w

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THE CITY OF TENTS.

The Oakland Park Campmeeting—The Conference.

To-morrow is the beginning of the annual campmeeting and conference of the Seventh Day Adventists, and the lawn of Oakland Park is covered with nice, clean tents for the use of those who will attend from different parts of the state. Over sixty tents are pitched in the park, and about one hundred and fifty are already encamped. This number will be largely increased by others from all parts of the state.

In the center of the grounds is located the large pavilion, nicely seated, and capable of accommodating an audience of about 1500. Two public preaching services will be held daily at 2:30 and 7:30 o'clock p. m., and all are invited to attend these and all other meetings. No admission fee is asked to any meeting. All can come and hear the gospel "without money and without price."

A nice tent has also been pitched and seated, where all the children on the ground will be taught by competent instructors to "remember their creation in *the days of their youth.*"

Near the large pavilion stands the reception tent, finely furnished with sofas, rocking chairs, mirrors, etc., where the aged and invalid may go, and while comfortably seated, also listen to the sermon.

Just east of this is located the book-stand, where all kinds of denominational books, pamphlets and tracts may be purchased at reasonable figures; works also on health, temperance, social purity, etc., can be obtained. Parties coming to the grounds are asked to visit the book-stand and examine the stock.

Everything about the grounds shows that the utmost care has been exercised to make the camp attractive and inviting. Nothing like disorder or confusion can be seen, which is in marked contrast with many camp meetings. Time spent in making a visit to the park will be employed profitably.

STATISTICS.

From the 1890 year book of the society we glean the following figures:

Ministers in Illinois, 8; licentiates, 3; churches, 28; church members, 874; tithes for the past year, $8,529.41. There are seven districts in the society, embracing the whole of the United States and the foreign department. Total ministers, 227; total licentiates, 184; grand total of workers, 411; total churches, 1,016; total membership, 29,711; total tithes, $225,-439 08. The following are the ministers and officers of the church in Illinois:

Ministers—R. M. Kilgore, A. O. Tait, R. F. Andrews, G. B. Starr, W. C. Wales, E. A. Merrell, E. O. Hammond, J. W. Bagby.

Licentiates—G. B. Thompson, H. S. Shaw.

Missionary License—G. H. Barber, A. J. Olson, O. E. Sturdevant, Susie A. Hoxie, E. Hiva Starr, Delia Hicks, Mrs. Sadie Mousehunt, Mrs. E. A. Merrell, Agnes B. Tait, Mrs. Lou Sisley, Martina Sorenson, Julia Parmele.

Conference Officers—Pres., R. M. Kilgore; Vice-Pres., A. O. Tait; Sec., E. J. Hobbs; Treas., J. M. Craig; Ex. Com., R. M. Kilgore, A. O. Tait, G. B. Starr, G. H. Barber, R. Vickery; Auditor, J. L. Vandermark; Councilmen, R. Vickerp, A. Craw; Auditing Com., J. L. Vandermark, A. Craw, Frank Hicks, Wm. Herald, Dexter Woodward.

Tract Society Officers—Pres., A. O. Tait; Vice-Pres., G. H. Barber; Sec. and Treas., J. M. Craig; Cor. Sec., Delia Hicks; State Can. Agent, A. J. Olson; Asst. State Can. Agent, G. H. Barber.

Sabbath School Association Officers—Pres., H. S. Shaw; Vice-Pres., E. A. Merrell; Sec. and Treas., Agnes B. Tait; Ex. Com., H. S. Shaw, E. A. Merrell, Agnes B. Tait, Geo. B. Thompson.

Health and Temperance Association Officers—Pres., G. H. Barber; Sec. and Treas., Mrs. G. H. Barber.

NOTES.

Preaching services to-night at 7:30 o'clock. H. S. Shaw, of Onarga, will speak.

A fine choir has been organized and will sing beautiful hymns and songs of Zion at every meeting. The good music is certainly an important factor in the meeting.

Three public preaching services were held yesterday, and a large number of our citizens were in attendance. The attendance during the week will doubtless be large.

The camp is divided into districts, and suitable tents have been pitched where each division can congregate for morning worship. Each meeting is led by some of the ministers on the ground, and the one object in mind is that of seeking the Spirit of God.

Figuring With Decatur.

Mr. Benjamin Follett of the Bloomington Pork Packing company has returned from a trip to Decatur where he had a conference with some business men concerning the advisibility of removing the plant to that city. Mr. Follett was asked if the company would place its plant in Decatur if a certain sum of money and ground were furnished. He did not reply but has written President Wells in Chicago asking for his decision. —*Bloomington Leader.*

Gone West.

This morning Agent Peniwell sent the following parties west on excursion rates: Geo. Logan, Pierson; R. O. Burrows, Decatur; B. A. Burrows, Hervey City; M. H. Burrows, Elwin; Ed Vollmer, Macon; N. Stickle, Macon; Con Rouse, Dalton City; J. F. Huber, Dalton City; W. B. Cracroft, Elwin; F. S. Cracroft, Elwin.

MARRIED.

On Sunday afternoon, Sept. 6, by Rev. J. A. F. King, pastor of the U. B. Church, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Riker, 272 West Main street, Clarence A. Brockway and Miss Lida Shaw, both of Decatur.

A large company of friends was present, many gifts were bestowed and fine refreshments were served.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

This Week at Walter Hutchin's.

The grandest display of Children's School Shoes that has ever been seen in Decatur. We have by far the best Children's Shoes ever put on sale in this city. Have made a special effort this season to bring to this city the best line of School Shoes ever before offered to the public. Our sales already have been immense on this special line. Try them, and you will get lots of wear. Walter Hutchin, 117 North Water St., sign of big shoe.
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Fine Leather Goods.

Our stock of *fine* and *stylish* leather goods in pocketbooks, purses and chatelaine bags is very perfect. *If you want a* nice article in this line of goods, you will find it with us.
Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

Lowell carpets, bodies and ingrains the handsomest and best in the United States, received direct from the mills by Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company.

Be discreet; it is harder than to be eloquent.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club was held at their rooms rooms on Saturday, September 5th, the president in the chair. There was a large attendance, and several new members were admitted. At the conclusion of the routine business, Miss Henkle read "Co-operative Womanhood in the State," written by Mrs. Livermore, and published in the September number of the *North American Review.* Having adjourned, all remained for an hour's social enjoyment, when light refreshments were served. After three months' vacation the ladies seemed happy to greet each other and zealous to renew their their work. The several divisions of the Club will meet on their respective days, and are anxious to see all members present *to begin the year with interest.*

Electric Headlights.

There seems to be a general feeling among the engineers that both of the recent accidents on the Wabash, the one at Homer and the one at Staunton, could have been avoided if the engines had been equipped with electric headlights. With electric headlights the rear end of the freight train at Homer and the stock car at Staunton could have been distinguished at least half a mile away. The electric headlight is not only more powerful, but it sheds a softer and whiter light than the old style headlight. The two wrecks mentioned will cost the road between $15,000 to $20,000. That sum would go a long way towards paying the cost of the change. The Michigan Central has ordered all of their locomotives, both freight and passenger, equipped with electric headlights.—*Danville Commercial.*

A New Abstract Office.

The new abstract firm of J. H. Durfee & Co. have opened an office at the corner of Main and Water streets, over Linn & Scruggs, and are now prepared to furnish abstracts of title to all real estate in Macon county. The business of the firm will be under the management of James H. Durfee, the old reliable abstractor, whose experience in the abstract business, extending over a period of 20 years, has given him a familiarity with Macon county titles and a degree of proficiency in his business seldom equaled. Mr. Durfee had charge of the abstract books of Warren & Durfee up to the time of their retirement from the abstract business, since which event he has been employed a large part of the time in the preparation of the abstract books to be used by the new firm. His work has always commanded the confidence of attorneys and real estate men by its reliability, and his reputation in this respect *will recommend* the new firm to the confidence of the public.

THE FASTEST.

The fastest mile by a railroad train is 50¼ seconds.

The fastest mile by a trotting horse, 2 minutes 8¾ seconds.

The fastest mile by a pacing horse, 2 minutes 6¼ seconds.

The fastest mile by a man walking, 6 minute and 23 seconds.

In running the fastest mile ever made by a man, 4 minutes 12¾ seconds.

The best time for a mile by a man on a bicycle, 2 minutes 16 seconds.

The fastest mile ever made by a running horse, 1 minute 35½ seconds.

The fastest mile by a man on a tricycle, 3 minutes 49 2-5 seconds.

The fastest mile made in rowing in a single boat took 5 minutes 39¼ seconds.

The fastest time on snow shoes for a man is recorded as 5 minutes 29¼ seconds.

The fastest mile ever made by a man swimming, 26 minutes and 52 seconds.

In a battle a soldier was wounded in the head by a javelin. The surgeon examined the wound and told the man that as the weapon had not touched his brain there was every prospect of his recovery. "Had I possessed any brain," said the soldier, "I should not have been in the battle."

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This Liniment is different in composition from any other Liniment on the market. It is a scientific discovery, which results in its being the most penetrating Liniment ever known. There are numerous white imitations, which may be recommended because they *pay the seller* a greater profit. Beware of these and demand Ballard's Snow Liniment. It positively cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, Wounds, Sciatic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, Sore Feet, Contracted Muscles, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Pain in Back, Barb Wire Cuts, Sore Chest or Throat, and is especially beneficial in Paralysis. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. 2

A baby born on a train in Tennessee one day last week has been named Romulus, after the sleeping car in which he first saw daylight.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot, Dry Skin, Pain in Back and Between the Shoulders' Chills and Fever, &c. If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. Herbine will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Sold by Swearingen & Tyler. d&w

Be patient; there are few men whom a women cannot win in the long run; soft water penetrates the hardest rock in time.

Height of Cruelty.

Nervous women seldom receive the sympathy they deserve. While often the pictures of health, they are constantly ailing. To withhold sympathy from the unfortunates is the height of cruelty. They have a weak heart, causing shortness of breath, fluttering, pain in the side, weak and hungry spells, and finally swelling of ankles, oppression, choking, smothering and dropsy. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure *is just the thing* for them. For their nervousness, headache, weakness, etc. his Restorative Nervine is unequaled. Fine treatise on "Heart and Nervous Diseases" and marvelous testimonials free. Sold and guaranteed by W. C. Armstrong. d&w

The New Jersey man who secured a patent on his idea of placing rubber on the tips of pencils is said to have realized $200,000 from it.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggists. d&w

To Housekeepers.

If your carpet sweeper takes up the nap, give it to the children to "play horse" with, and get a "Charm" or "Ohio" sweeper, of the Lytle & Eckels Hardware Co. You will save money by so doing. aug-tfd

The Best

French and American Corsets can always be found at Linn & Scruggs D. G. & C. Company. d&w

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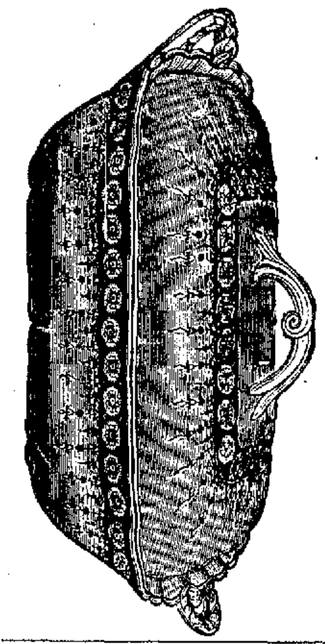

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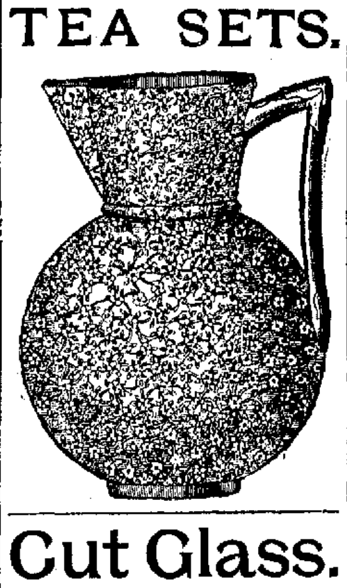

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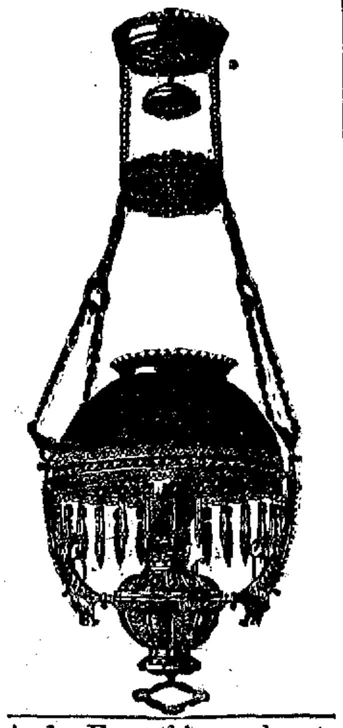

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All colors double-fold Worsted Dress Goods, 10c a yard—regular 15c goods.
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Dark Heavy Gingham, 7c a yard.
Turkey Red Damask, 23c a yard.
Table Napkins, fringed, good size, 67c a dozen.
Heavy Canton Flannel, 5c a yard.
Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, 25c.
Ladies' Heavy Hose, 10 a pair.
An extra value in a Children's Heavy Cotton Double-Knee School Hose.

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TIME TABLES.

July 12, 1891.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....6:20 a m
No. 4 Pass....11:40 a m	No. 3 Pass....3:45 a m
No. 44 Pass...11:10 a m	No. 43 Pass....4:[illegible] a m
No. 42 Pass...10:15 p m	No. 45 Pass....2:05 p m
No. 2 Pass...11:55 p m	No. 5 Pass....2:05 p m
No. 70 Freight 6:50 p m	No. 71 Freight 6:[illegible] a m

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass....10:10 a m	No. 43 Pass... 4:20 a m
No. 44 Pass....10:50 a m	No. 45 Pass... 3:10 p m
No. 6 Pass... 6:16 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 48 Acc.... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc.... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:55 a m	No. 71, Freight 12:45 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass... 6:25 a m
No. 45 Pass... 2:30 p m	No. 44 Pass.. 11:15 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass ..10:2[illegible] p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement 10:55 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement... 5:15 p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.....3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass....12:05 a m
No. 5, Pass, except Sunday. 2:30 p m	No. 4 Pass, except Sunday 11:25 a m
No. 1 Pass.....8:50 p m	No. 6 Pass.... 6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 9:10 a m	No. 1 Pass... 5:2[illegible] p m
No. 4 Pass.... 9:20 p m	No. 3 Pass...10:20 a m
No. 12 Accom. 9:40 p m	No. 11 Freight [illegible]
No. 10, Freight 5:30 p m	No. 3, Champaign Line, arrives, [illegible]
No. 4, Champaign Line, leave 5:15 [illegible]	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 2:[illegible] p m	No. 2 Pass....11:[illegible] a m
No. 2 Pass... 8:55 a m	No. 4 Pass....[illegible] p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass...3:10 p m	No. 1 Pass...11:[illegible] a m
No. 4 Pass... 6:[illegible] a m	No. 3 Pass...10:15 p m
No. 14 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 11 Freight [illegible] p m

TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA.

EAST.	WEST.
No. 2 Pass....2:05 p m	No. 1 Pass....11:[illegible] p m
No. 4 Pass....7:[illegible] a m	No. 3 Pass.... [illegible] a m
No. 6 Pass....[illegible] p m	No. 5 Pass.... [illegible] p m

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Leading Jewelers.

THEY ARE COMING IN DAILY.

The finest and most carefully selected Stock of

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NOBBY STYLES for the good dresser.
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Antifermentine.

Preserves your Fruit without Cooking. No more cracked Jars or burnt fingers.

It will keep Tomatoes equally as well as Fruit TRY IT.

—FOR SALE BY—

KING & WOOD.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

DON'T miss them! Every one who keeps house will be interested. Call early.
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

SMOKE the Pansy.

COUNCIL meeting to-night.

FRESH oysters at Singleton's.

NEW PERFUMES at Irwin's Pharmacy.

"MAGGIE'S SECRET" at Irwin's Pharmacy.

CREPE Tissue Papers at Irwin's Pharmacy.

THE "Pay Train" at the opera house to-night.

SMOKE the Pansy, manufactured by H. Yaeck & Co.

STEAM was up at the new furniture factory to-day.

DERTZ & SON, contracting brick layers, 123 Merchant st. Jan14-dtf

PENNINGTON'S Air Ship is in the hands of a Missouri sheriff.

E. F. KUNY will put up store buildings on the corner of North Water and Green streets.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs J. W. Reeves, of 821 North Union street, on Sunday, Sept. 6, a son.

JUDGE VAIL left to-day for Sullivan to open the fall term of the Moultrie county circuit court.

TRY the celebrated health-giving Bethseda Water and Ginger Ale, sold by all leading druggists. aug31-d1w

THE regular September meeting of the Macon county board of supervisors will begin to-morrow.

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THE "Pay Train" to-night at the Grand. Comedy and special scenery; thrilling situations.

SECURE your seats for Katie Putnam. On sale at Ralph Templeton's Opera House Pharmacy.

A FULL line of fruits and vegetables may always be found at May & Churchman's grocery store.

NEARLY all of the Decatur trotting and pacing horses will go in the races at Springfield this week.

THE Wabash will sell round trip tickets from Decatur to St. Louis and return on Sunday, Sept. 13th, for $2.00. tf

SUNDAY Rev. G. E. Scrimger was at Blue Mound holding quarterly meeting at the Methodist Church for Elder M. D. Hawes.

FRUITS for canning and preserves, fresh country butter and spring chickens are specialties at May & Churchman's grocery store.

THE members of the Florence Bindley "Pay Train" company, arrived in the city on Sunday. They will appear at the Grand to-night.

THE French Republic was 21 years old Sept. 4. It has lived longer than any government in France since the Revolution of 1793.

SATURDAY the Chicago ball team gave up a game to the Boston club. Staley was in the box for Boston, and the score was 3 to 2 against Chicago.

WHILE switching in the yards to-day Illinois Central engine 1460 jumped the track near Sangamon street. The accident was caused by a defective switch.

SATURDAY afternoon J. J. Finn, master in chancery, sold the Housman 40 acre tract of land south of Decatur to John A. McDaniel at $64 per acre—total $2,560.

THE Calumet Club rooms are receiving a thorough cleaning. Aside from the house-cleaning the rooms will receive a new dress of paper and paint. Lou Abel is the decorator.

MISS LEONA BOWSMAN, who resides on Short street, near the Union depot, took an overdose of morphine Sunday evening and Dr. Catto was called and gave her relief. She had been sick.

M. MYERS and Tom Dempsey, Frank Reed and George Peake, painters, went to Moaweqna to-day to decorate the new Baptist church which was recently built there. Myer & Son have the contract for the painting.

"FIVE years ago I had a constant cough, night sweats, was greatly reduced in flesh, and had been given up by my physician. I began to take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and after using two bottles of this medicine, was completely cured."—Augu A. Lewis, Ricard, N. Y.

SUNDAY two bums stole two valuable dogs from a farmer named C. Riser, near Forsythe, and came to Decatur to-day, just in time to be caught by Officer Leech, who, with Mr. Riser, chased the bums until they were located. The dogs are valued at $25. Leech fired the bums out of town

THE missionary concert at the First M. E. Sunday school yesterday afternoon drew quite a number of visitors. The collection was $65. At the close of the morning preaching service at this church a number of probationers were received into full membership and others by letter. The congregation was large.

To Make Talk

We offer everything in ladies', misses, and children's slippers and oxfords at actual cost, and many things at less than cost to manufacture.

To make room for our fall stock.

Men's low cut shoes at prices lower than you ever heard of before.

Remember, this is a genuine benefit sale and you should not fail to take advantage of it.

In addition to these great bargains offered we have the most complete line of ladies and gents fine shoes ever show in Decatur, at prices clear out of sight.

Don't fail to visit us when in need of anything in our line.

THE FERRISS & LAPHAM SHOE STORE.
5eugd 148 East Main street.

EXPERIENCE is the cream of life—but it sours with age.

Sales of Real Estate.

F. W. Caldwell to A. T. Summers, quit claim to lot 5, block 9, South addition, and lot 6, block 8, Crowder & Cornthwait's addition of out lots—$1.00.

John E. Kinney to F. P. Roddy, et al, quit claim to strip of ground 10 feet wide in block 2, Oglesby's addition—$150.

F. P. Roddy to W. H. Long, deed to all of north half of lot 2, R. J. Oglesby's addition except 55 feet in width from front to rear on northside—$2800.

F. B. Miller to A. H. and L. N. Cope, deed to lot 7, block 2, Kinney's first addition to Decatur—$375.

William Brinkman to A. H. and L. N. Cope, deed to lot 6, block 2, Kinney's first addition—$350.

A. T. Summers to Rosetta Donnell, lot 22, block 3, H. H. Wise's 2d sub-division, $250.

Margaret A. Corn to John Heckman, ⅔ interest in the west half of the southeast ¼; ⅔ interest in the east half of the southwest quarter; ⅔ interest in a tract in 30'17, 4 east, in all 208 acres, $7,000.

Nancy Wait to S. M. C. Davis, the southwest quarter of 28, 16, 2 east, $2120.

Mary A. C. Cooper to C. G. Hostetler, 75 feet off west end lot 2, Michl, Harpstrite & Shlaudeman's addition to Decatur, $650.

H. A. Wood to L. A. Brown, lot 5 in block 3, H. A. Wood's West Park addition to Decatur, $200.

C. Hays to J. R. Hays, all his interest in 15 acres in the southeast quarter of 26, 17, 2 east, $250.

C. M. Allison to W. H. Bean, lot 7, in block 2, P. H. Brueck's 2d addition to Decatur, $500.

Thos. Costello to H. M. Mathias, 37 acres in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of 33, 18, 3 east, $2705.

S. P. Donnell to F. W. Caldwell, the east half of lot 5, block 9, South addition to Decatur, $1,000.

At the U. B. Church.

"The Contract" was the subject of Rev. King's Sunday morning sermon and consisted of a review of the history and origin of the church, and the life and labors of William Otterbein, the founder of the church. He also gave an exposition of the Confession of Faith and the discipline of the church.

In the evening he preached from 2d Peter 3:14, on the subject: "The Christian's Hope and Duty." It was his last sermon and he was at his very best, and his voice, at all times eloquent, was full of pathos, and the deep impression on the audience was very noticeable.

Rev. King will leave to-morrow to attend the annual conference which is to convene at Streator and he goes with the prayerful and best wishes of his congregation, and the best report, in every way, from both church and Sabbath school work that has ever gone to the annual conference from this point, and it is hoped that the conference will return him, in fact it would be a sore disappointment if he should not be in charge of this congregation for at least another year.

Exclusive Furnishing Store.

Every year Decatur is becoming more and more metropolitan in the way of complete and stylish stores. Among the latest to add to the list is that of Anthony & Webb, who are to open about September 15th, at (Ottenheimer & Co.'s old stand), a model Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods Store—a place where the very best and latest styles of articles to wear may be had in great variety and at prices that will suit everybody. The selections have been made with especial care and constantly the stock will be kept in splendid trim. H. C. Anthony and Frank M. Webb are both young and energetic gentlemen, who have a wide acquaintance in the city and county. They will not fail to succeed. They will soon be ready to receive their friends.

Jack Medford in Jail.

Saturday afternoon Jack Medford, the barber on North Water street, was arrested in Central Park on a serious charge. He is accused with having made a criminal assault upon Pearl Jones and Minnie Cook, aged 9 and 10 years respectively. He was taken before Justice Hammer, where he waived examination. Bail was fixed at $500 in each case and in default of bail Medford went to jail to await the action of the grand jury, which will begin its session Sept. 28. The alleged facts of the assault are too indecent for publication. Medford enters a general denial and says his arrest is a blackmailing scheme.

To-Night.

The mercury crawls down into the subbasement of the longest thermometer when Manager Haines gets left on any attraction he really wants. Florence Bindley's famous play, "The Pay Train," is without doubt the strong drawing card now traveling and it will be produced to-night at the Grand entire, the same as presented before crowded houses in Chicago and New York.

Passed Away.

Clara Belle Ellis, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ellis, after an illness of ten days, died of cholera infantum at the family home in East Park Boulevards, at 2 a. m., September 7th aged 16th months and 8 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence Tuesday at 2 p. m., Rev. C. E. Torrey officiating.

Enlarging Their Business.

Bradley Bros. expect to get possession of their new addition in a week or so, and we understand they will open the new part of their big store with a complete new stock of fine millinery. No doubt the ladies may expect a treat in the way of novelties.

Sobieski To-Morrow Night.

Hon. John Sobieski, the eloquent Polander, having arrived, it has been decided to hold a public Good Templars' meeting at the M. E. church, which will be addressed by Sobieski and others. Everybody invited.

Harvest Excursion.

On September 15th and 29th, the P. D. & E. will sell excursion tickets to points west, northwest and southwest; $9.40 to Kansas City and St. Joe. Mo., for the round trip. Through chair cars from Decatur to Kansas City. For rates and tickets call on T. Penniwell, 110 Library Block, or C. O. Judson, Union depot, Decatur, Ill. 7d&w1w.

—A hen was found, a few days ago imprisoned in the debris, resulting from a cyclone Jund 20, on the farm of Sam McPherson in Monroe county, Ky. She had been confined 70 days, had laid an egg, hatched a chick and ate it in the meantime, when liberated. When released she jumped at the first thing eatable that came in sight.

DO NOT confuse the Famous Blush of Roses with the many worthless paints, powders, creams and bleaches which are flooding the market. Get the genuine of your druggists, Swearingen & Tyler, 75c per bottle. And I guarantee it will remove your pimples, freckles, blackheads, moth, tan, and sunburn, and give you a lovely complexion.

BE tender; in fact be a woman, and pray that your woman's influence may never lead to anything but good, and remember what old Voltaire said, that "God created woman to [illegible]

LABOR DAY IN DECATUR

THE FIRST PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION AND BASKET PICNIC.

Fair Showing of the Industrial Strength of the City — Exercises at Riverside Park.

This is Labor Day throughout the United States, by statutory enactment made a legal holiday in the state of Illinois. It is the one week day in the year on which the toilers of all trades may take a day off for recreation and pleasure, a day when they may unite in a public demonstration to show their strength and join together with their families in picnic and other diversions.

Decatur workingmen had their first public demonstration and parade to-day, and it was a very creditable display for the first parade. Next year it will be much larger. There were about 275 men in line as the procession passed the REPUBLICAN office. The line of march was west from South Park street, north on Water to Eldorado, west to Church, south to Prairie Avenue, west to Pine, south to West Main, east across Lincoln Square to Water street, south to Wood, where the marchers and friends took the Short Line cars for Riverside Park to hear the speeches and enjoy the picnic dinner provided by the ladies.

THE PARADE.

The procession moved in the following order:

G. W. Ruckle, Chief Marshal.
Goodman's Band.
Carpenters' and Joiners' Union No 788, in charge of H M Canfield, wearing white aprons lettered "L. U. 788." also carrying banners and flags.
Decatur Plumbers, carrying light canes, in charge of Joe Brewster, banner inscribed Plumbers, Steam and Gas Fitters.
Decatur Plasterers, 25 in number, in working suits, in charge of H. M. McKown and J. H Oten.
Cigarmakers' Union, No 20, about 75 in number, wearing Union Blue Label badges, with President Geo. J. Busteed in charge. Banner, "Smoke Union Label Cigars"
Decatur Typographical Union, No. 215, with banner, 20 men in line, with W I. Lowry in charge.
Decatur Harness and Saddle Makers, about 40 men, in charge of Joe Ricketts.
Banner inscribed "Union Scale, Eight Hours, No Convict Labor.—Saddle Makers."
Wayne Sulkeyette Company Employes, in charge of Al. Lindamood, drawing four model sulkeyettes.
Banner inscribed "Famous Speeding Cart, the Wayne Sulkyette, made at Decatur, Ill."

AT THE PARK.

President Canfield called the assembly to order and introduced A. Q. Garrett, preceptor of the Carpenters' Union, in the absence of Hon. Ed Lynch, of Lincoln, who was advertised to deliver the opening address. Mr. Garrett said: Labor Day is set apart for the recreation and instruction of workingmen. It is true that laboring men have not risen to the plane that some think they should occupy. Business men are trying to keep laboring men down to the level of the brute, but by such meetings as this we expect to elevate labor. Here we meet to-day with our families, and it is to be hoped that all will have a good time.

The band played a selection, after which the president introduced Ethelbert Stewart, who made a very interesting address of about forty minutes' duration. He was frequently applauded during its delivery. He told the working men that the labor question came up at the beginning of this country; that there were labor organizations in New York in 1803; the demand then was a reduction of hours from 14 to 12. That afterward hours were reduced from 12 to 10 hours, and that the 8 hour labor day will surely be adopted. He said the labor agitation was not a revolution, but an effort to adjust labor to a revolution already accomplished, the revolution wrought by labor saving machinery of to-day. He held that the only way to adjust these conditions satisfactory is for labor to have an interest in the machinery which has supplanted labor. To accomplish this organization and harmony is necessary. Manufacturers can make no money unless they organize trusts. The principl in a sense is right, and argues that labor to acquire its rights and a profit must ultimately resolve itself into a gigantic trust with Uncle Sam as trustee. Wannamaker is right in his view of government control of the telegraph lines and yet I heard a Democratic labor man say he was opposed to Wannamaker's plan because Wannamaker is a Republican. This is nonsense. When any man strikes a principle in harmony with ours we should endorse it. We must learn to do our own thinking independently. Every man must learn to carry his own think tank under his own hat. These reforms may not come in our lifetime, but they will—they must come—for to-day a man starting in life with nothing but his hands is not as certain of a living as the American Indian was with his bow in 1492. We may not reap the benefits of our work, but we, like the soldiers written of by Carlyle, who, when dead, filled the impassable ditch until the living charged over them and took the fort, We may not be able to take the fort, but may help fill the ditch.

Following the address of Mr. Stewart the band played a selection, after which Mrs. E. Stewart read an interesting extract from the last speech of Victor Hugo to the workingmen of France. Mrs. Stewart did justice to the extract and was applauded at the close of the reading. All then preparted to partake of a picnic dinner.

The afternoon will be spent in listening to music and recitations. The meeting is regarded as a success and presages larger meetings in the future. Fully500 heard the speaking.

NOTES.

Many flags were unfurled from public buildings in honor of Labor Day.

W. F. Martin's martial band was at the park this afternoon.

AFTER the parade to-day the plumbers in the Labor Day procession were presented with a box of cigars, with the compliments of James Helpin. It was the first turn-out for the plumbers.

Notice.

I cannot afford to keep the price of oysters up for the accommodation of dealers who only handle half a dozen cans per week. The retail price for the present will be, Ovals, 35; Select, 45; New York Counts, 55 cents per can. The high standard of excellence that has made the Booth oysters famous in the past, I am assured will be maintained in the future.

JNO. G. CLOYD,
Sep3d10d 144 East Main St.

DIED.

At the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Swartz, east of Decatur, Sunday evening, Sept. 6th, of typhoid fever, Lula, aged 12 years.

The funeral will take place [illegible]

PERSONAL MENTION.

Gus Wilmeth spent Sunday in Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Young are visiting in Chicago.

M. R. Coutant and G. Girard are in Springfield.

Will Henkle, of Springfield, spent Sunday in this city.

Dr. Catto visited Boody and Warrensburg on Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Brownback, of Blue Mound, is in the city to-day.

Judge E. P. Vail went to Monticello to-day to hold court.

Mrs. T. T. Roberts and daughters have returned from Lake Bluff.

G. W. Ehrhart went out over the I., D. & W. road to-day on business.

Manager Kaufman, of Ottenheimer & Co.'s store, is in Chicago to-day.

Miss Annie Rainey has returned from a visit with relatives in Taylorville.

Constable Weitsel departed to-day for Sullivan and Mattoon on official business.

J. B. Freeman went to Moaweqna to-day to attend the fair and visit relatives.

John Defratus left for Jacksonville Saturday night to remain over Sunday.

Mrs. K. Harwood and daughters, Misses Kate and Mae, have returned from an extended eastern trip.

Mrs. J. F. Curry has returned from her protracted visit with her brother and friends at Fairfield, Ill.

Mrs. Robert Hooker, of Elgin, who has been visiting Misses Kate and Nora Cullen, has gone to Springfield.

George Dittmar, manager of the "Pay Train" company, to appear at the Grand to-night, paid us a call to-day.

Miss Mary Regnold, of DeLand, is in the city visiting her brother, Charles Regnold, of the Illinois Central.

Miss Emma Cain, who has been in the city visiting Miss Edith Race, returned Saturday to her home in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Pegram, of Lincoln, spent Sunday in this city, the guest of their daughter, Mrs. A. T. Summers.

Harley Armstrong will leave Friday of this week for Ithaca, N. Y., where he will resume his studies in Cornell University.

G. Raymond, who has been in the city visiting Mrs. C. A. Logan and family, left last night for his home in New York City.

Marshal W. W. Mason and nephew, Bert Shaw, returned this morning from Taylorville, where Mr. Mason visited his mother.

H. W. Fenton, Mrs. J. L. Fenton, Mrs. Jessie Sneed and Mrs. F. L. Hays arrived home Sunday morning from their eastern trip.

Miss Stella Vandegrift, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs H. F. Logan, departed to-day for home in Lefontaine, Ind.

J. P. Fred, representing G. A. Ogle & Co., Chicago, map makers, was in the city to-day. He went to his home in Macon this afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Cassell and son, Lennie, accompanied by Dick Leonard, brother of Mrs. C., arrived in the city on Saturday from Batavia, N. Y.

Michael Troutman left for Mattoon Sunday night. He is building a new house and making other improvements on his farm near Mattoon.

E. M. Meriweather, general roadmaster of the Wabash, has gone to Holcomb's Rock, Virginia, where he will join his family who are visiting there.

Maroa *Times*: Mrs. Z. T. Hundley and daughter, Nellie, who have been visiting here the past two months, left Monday for St. Paul, where they will reside.

J. J. Hughes, Jr., 350 East Marietta street, is dangerously sick with typhoid fever. He has now been sick for more than a week and his recovery is a matter of some doubt.

Mrs. Margaret Miller and Mrs. Nora Pritchett, daughter of Mrs. L. A. Ebert, left Sunday night for California. The latter will spend the winter with Mrs. Henry Leavitt at Elmodena, Cal.

Miss Laura Turner, who has been in Denver, Colo., and other western points for the benefit of her health, arrived home this morning and resumed her position as bookkeeper for Cheap Charley.

E. D. Bartholomew, who has been in New York City and at the potteries in the east purchasing a fine line of goods for the queensware and notion house of Bartholomew & Co., arrived home Sunday morning.

O. Z. Greene will leave to-night for Boston, Mass., where he will visit his mother and other relatives. Upon his return he will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Myrtle, who has been visiting in the east.

Miss Gussie Gorin departed to-day for Northampton, Mass., where she will attend college the coming winter. She was accompanied as far as Chicago by her mother, who after a short stay in that city, will return home.

George P. Blume has gone to Cleveland, O., to attend the meeting of the Great Council of the United States, Imp. O. R. M., where he will be joined by the Hon. Owen Scott, of Bloomington, and M. Holland, of Freeport, who compose the three Great Representatives from Illinois.

Large Invoices

of new, elegant and carefully selected fall and winter millinery goods are being constantly received at Sawyer & McCoy's.

Both ladies have been connected with the millinery business for a number of years and are thoroughly conversant with the requirements of the trade.

Miss McCoy is at present in the wholesale house copying from the imported designs and posting herself in the very latest styles of trimming. An invitation is extended to the ladies to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Satisfaction insured in styles and prices. 110 North Water street. 7-1w.

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SPECIAL attention is called to the new advertisement of the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Company. Their immense stock and great variety of dress goods, silks, ladies' wraps and carpets are worth the attention of all who are seeking high class novelties. Their large and constantly increasing sales create a demand for new, fresh goods every day, and this demand is supplied by the best talent at home and in New York, by cash purchasers from first hands, which is a guarantee of low prices to consumers.
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STATE GOOD TEMPLARS.

The 38th Annual Meeting of the Grand Lodge in Decatur.

The 38th annual session of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. G. T. of this state begins to-morrow morning in the hall of Decatur Lodge No. 364, over the court room on Water street. A large number of representatives have engaged hotel accommodations and a large attendance from all parts of the state is expected. Rooms have been secured at Curry's European Hotel for headquarters and a number of officers have already arrived, among whom are Uriah Copp Jr., who has occupied the Grand Chief Templar's chair for 19 years; R. J. Hazlett and wife, of Rockford, Grand Secretary; Sol Lane, of Rockford; W. S. McCaull, of Joliet, and Wm. Ericksen, of Peotone, who constitute the finance committee. A number are expected this afternoon and to-night, among whom will be Mrs. Myers, of Chicago, State Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, who will hold a Temple meeting at the hall of Decatur Lodge to-night at an early hour.

Faithful Lodge on North Water street, also holds a meeting to-night, to which visiting Good Templars are invited.

A. F. Smith, Miss Emma Wiegand and Miss Kittie Segar are a committee on reception. D. L. Bunn is at the head of the entertainment committee.

Brazil at the World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—Lieut Sawyer, World's fair commissioner to Brazil, reports that on his visit to Maranhao, Brazil, he was received by the government and other officials with great cordiality, and received their active support and co-operation. The government called a public meeting of citizens in the theater at Maranhao, at which Lieut. Sawyer explained the objects and scope of the exposition, and committees were appointed to prepare memorials to the state legislature for an appropriation sufficient to secure a complete exhibit of its resources. The governor said he would appoint commissioners at once to superintend the making of a collection.

Baron Hirsch, the Jewish philanthropist, has signed a notarial deed empowering his representatives to expend two million pounds for the purchase of land and the location of colonies in the Argentine republic.

Daring Women Injured by Jumping from a Train.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—Maggie Drobalak, of 564 Dickson street; Mary Kopcinski, of 38 Cherry avenue, and two other women jumped from a northwestern passenger train moving at the rate of 15 miles an hour, at Clybourn station, early last evening. Maggie's collar bone was broken and Mary's hip was sprained by the fall. The other two escaped injury

The four women work on a farm beyond the river north of the station When the train stopped at the bridge they got on, supposing it would stop at Clybourn. They stood on the platform and as the train did not stop all four made the jump and went rolling heels over head along the side of the track.

Suicide of a Lovelorn Youth.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 6.—Fred A. Eichler of Chicago, whose parents live at 46 Alexander street, this city, was found dead in his bed at six o'clock last evening, with indications that the unfortunate man was despondent over a love affair, and committed suicide by taking morphine He left a letter addressed to his sweetheart in this city. The contents of the letter could not be learned.

The Astoria & South Coast Railway Bought by C. P. Huntington.

ASTORIA, Ore., Sept. 7.—C. P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific Railroad Co., has purchased the Astoria & South Coast railway The sale was made to R. Koehler and J. C. Stubbs, who acted as agents for Huntington. The road is a valuable piece of property.

Murdered for Refusing to Marry.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 7.—Charles Snyder, of Miles City, fatally cut Lily Dunkley with a large knife Saturday night, because she refused to marry him. The murderer fled. A posse is in pursuit and a lynching is feared.

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Our inventory shows our stock of fine Table Linens to be heavier than we would wish to see it. To cut it down to where it belongs we will make a deep cut in prices. This sale will be of interest to every housekeeper who admires fine linens. We have always sold linens below all competition; this sale will outrank all others.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook county, Illinois, in favor of Thomas Cartwright, I will offer the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5) in H. S. Evans' sub-division of a part of the Northwest quarter (¼) of section 15, township sixteen, north range two, east of the third principal meridian, in Macon county, Illinois, according to the plat recorded in book 97, at page 321, of records of said Macon county. Said property taken as the property of Harvey B. Evans, which I will offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, said state, on Thursday, the 24th day of September, A. D. 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

Dated this 7th day of September, A. D. 1891.

P. PERL,
Sept.7-d3w Sheriff Macon County Illinois.

To Whom it May Concern.

You will take notice that the undersigned will make application at the next regular meeting of the city council, Sept. 21, 1891, for license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house situated on lots 5 and 6, G. V. Loring's sub-division of out lots 1 and 2, block 1, B. H. Cassell's addition to city of Decatur.

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